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TO AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PDEV, FI, US

SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO PRESIDENT KEKKONEN ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 6. QUOTE I TAKE GREAT PLEASURE IN CONVEYING TO YOU MY PERSONAL GREETINGS AND THE BEST WISHES OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ON THIS ANNIVERSARY OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF FINLAND. AS THE PEOPLE OF FINLAND CELEBRATE THEIR NATIONAL DAY, THEY MAY BE ASSURED OF THE CONTINUED, WARM FRIENDSHIP OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. RICHARD NIXON UNQUOTE

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY GOF. PORTER

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## Message Attributes

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